

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 October 23 2014 to 1800 October 23 2014



Gaviota Beach State Park, near Santa Barbara, California
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SITUATION SUMMARY

Statewide Winter Weather Outlook

The video has been shared via YouTube at <http://youtu.be/OT9R57Lyzl8>

El Nino:

- El Niño is expected to develop this season
- Model consensus is that this El Niño will only reach weak intensity

Current Outlook:

- No clear, reliable, long-term signals exist in precipitation across northern and central CA
- Above normal precipitation is slightly favored across southern CA
- Above normal temperatures are favored for the entire state
 - Odds are better across the northern two thirds of CA
- Long-term extreme drought is expected to continue or even intensify for much of CA
 - Some drought relief expected in extreme southern CA
 - Some drought relief expected along the northern CA coast, north of San Francisco

State and Regional Water Outlook

- Nearly all reservoirs are well below capacity
- Most reservoirs below historical averages

Fire Outlook

- Prolonged wildland fire season
 - The combination of prolonged dry conditions, a forecast favoring above normal temperatures and only a slight favor toward above normal precipitation means above normal wildland fire potential through November and into the heart of the winter only returning to normal after significant rain and mountain snows occur.

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Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

PUBLIC HEALTH AND MEDICAL (EF-8) SITUATION REPORT, as of 10/23/14:

- There are currently no suspected or confirmed cases of the Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) in California. The risk of EVD to the public is very low. Healthcare providers may be at a higher risk for EVD infection.
- As of October 19, the World Health Organization has reported a cumulative total of 9936 suspect, probable, and confirmed cases and 4877 deaths.
- Current guidelines released by CDC are posted on the CDPH website available at: <http://cdph.ca.gov/programs/cder/Pages/Ebola.aspx>
- Guidelines for Emergency Medical Services (EMS) personnel: http://www.emsa.ca.gov/ebola_control
- [Full report attached](#)

CAL OES COASTAL REGION

San Francisco EOC Activation – Planned Event

- SF DEM has an activation schedule in place for the World Series playoff games for Friday & Saturday in San Francisco
- SF DEM will activate their EOC on Friday, October 24th, at a Level A with their DES staff only. SF DEM will activate their EOC on Saturday, October 25th at a Level B with DES staff and first responders.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

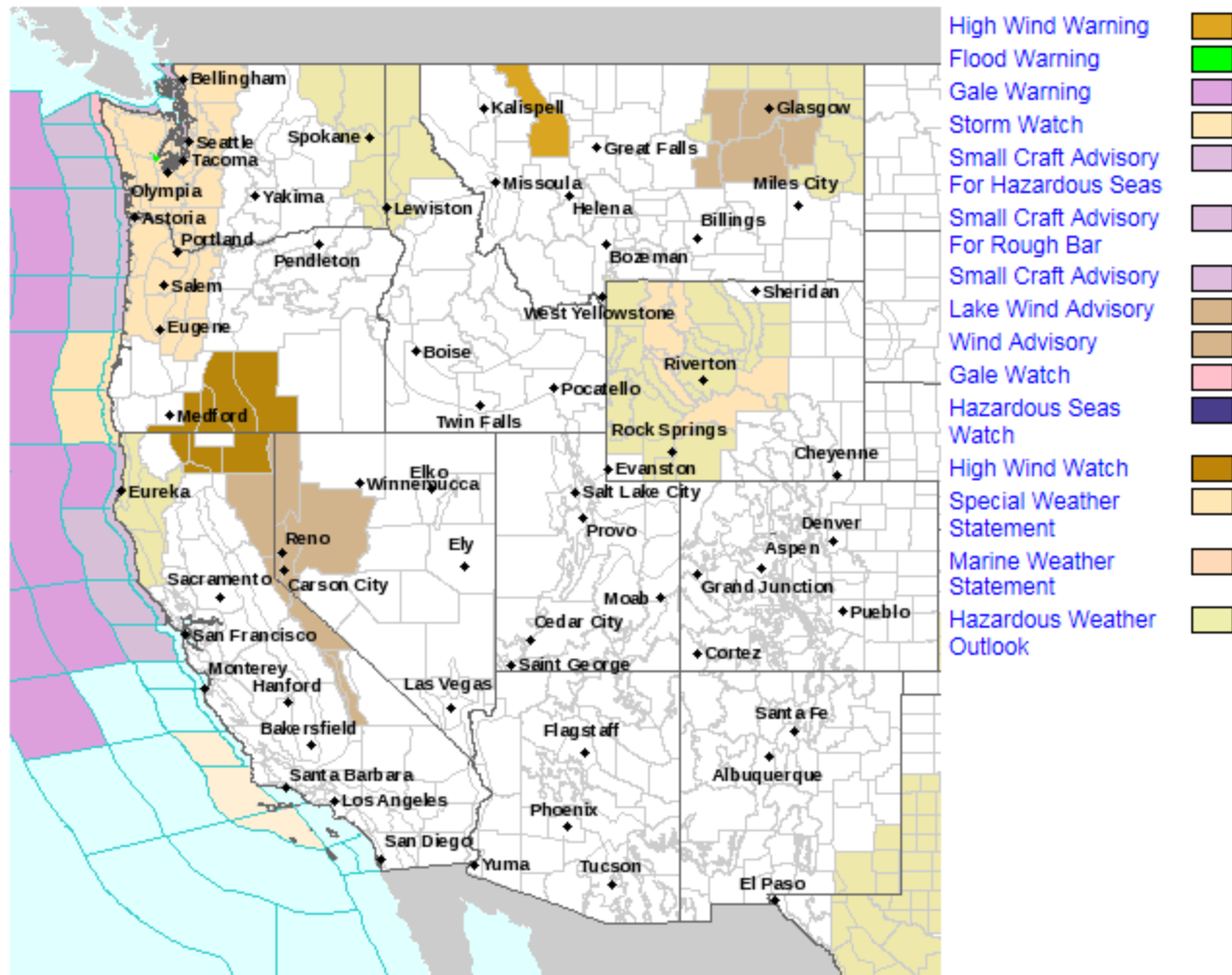
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:

A series of wet weather systems will move across Northern California over the next few days, producing wetting rains for just about the entire region. The only exception might be areas south of I-80, where showers will be more scattered and lighter. There will be some dry breaks in-between systems, starting with Friday, before the next front moves onshore by early Saturday with more clouds and precipitation. Snow levels will be gradually coming down from near 8000 feet today down to near 6500 feet tonight. Weak high pressure provides another break Sunday and Monday before another low pressure system approaches on Tuesday. Stronger high pressure may build in by the latter half of next week with a more significant warming & drying trend. Total rainfall during the 7-Day period will be 2-5 inches in the Northwest Coastal Mountains with generally 0.50-1.50 inches elsewhere, except for areas south of I-80 where generally a trace to 0.25 inch is expected. Winds will be generally south to west and moderate speeds through Saturday, before shifting to the northwest Sunday into early next week.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Warmer and drier weather can be expected through Friday in advance of a trough of low pressure which will arrive on Saturday. During the next two days, high temperatures will be close to 90 in the warmest inland valleys of Southern California under mostly sunny skies. Minimum relative humidity will be in the 12-15% below 4,000 feet in Southern California for 3-4 hours during the afternoon hours today and Friday. Some high clouds will continue to streak across the central part of the state which will keep temperatures a bit cooler north of Fresno. Winds will be light today and Friday. Friday night, rain will cover much of the northern half of the state, and by Saturday morning, rain will become possible across the far northern part of the district. Most of the rain will remain north of the area, but a quarter of an inch of rain will be possible over northern Monterey County in the Sierras north of Yosemite National Park. The rain will clear out of the area Saturday night, leaving cool, onshore flow in its wake. It will be quite windy over the higher elevations of the mountains and across the deserts throughout the weekend. Wind gusts over 50 mph may occur over the Sierras and the higher elevations of the eastern slope Saturday afternoon. Temperatures will be in the 70s in the valleys by Sunday with widespread marine layer stratus along the coast up to the lower coastal slopes of the mountains. Monday and Tuesday will be warmer, but another trough may arrive during the second half of the week, bringing more wet weather to central and northern California with windy weather further south. No strong offshore winds are expected during the rest of the month.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Oct, 23rd 2014 at 6:23:29 pm MDT



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

Recovery Activities

- On 10/01/14, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) approved a disaster declaration making SBA assistance available in the primary County of Siskiyou and the contiguous counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Modoc, Shasta, and Trinity, making low-interest federal disaster loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations whose property was damaged or destroyed by the Boles Fire. The filing deadline to return applications for property damage is 12/01/14. The deadline to return economic injury applications is 07/01/15. In addition, a Disaster Loan Outreach Center opened Wednesday, 10/01/14, at 1200 hours, located at the College of the Siskiyou's Life Science Building 3, Room LS-1, 800 College Avenue, Weed, California 96094, Mondays – Fridays, 0900 – 1800 hours.
- On 10/06/14, the Governor issued Executive Order (EO) B-27-14, which provides CDAA, and debris removal assistance, including the suspension of rules and regulations impacting debris removal. The EO also provides the ability for nonprofit organizations to seek reimbursement for extraordinary activities through the State Private Nonprofit Organizations Assistance Program.
- Non-food items have transitioned from the Salvation Army to a collaboration of four non-profit agencies involved in the distribution of items such as baby clothes, diapers, clothing, etc.
- The Cal OES VAL continues to coordinate and participate in Long Term Recovery Group (LTRG) meetings with NGO, Faith Based, and local agencies. Shasta Community Foundation was identified as a fiscal agent for the group. Individuals needing assistance should be directed to the Family & Community Resource Center of Weed located at 260 Main Street, Weed. Funding organizations will assist with unmet needs through the case management process. The VAL will continue to provide guidance to the LTRG group.
- The College of the Siskiyou's website contains a Fire Resource List of various local agencies offering goods and services. The document can be found at <http://www.siskiyous.edu/humanresources/documents/fireresourcelist.pdf>. Additional information on recovery efforts can be found at <https://weed.recovers.org/>.
- Food donations are being accepted at 310 Boles Street.
- Due to the high levels of asbestos found in the destroyed library, the Siskiyou County Health Officer, US/EPA, and CalRecycle recommend the temporary relocation of families living in the undamaged homes directly adjacent to the library. However, the City is temporarily sheltering (less than 30 days) one family displaced by the debris removal activities at the library location.
- US EPA completed removal of asbestos from the library.
- The Applicants Briefings for the Boles Fire FMAG and the CDAA 2014-4 Siskiyou County Wildfires is today 10/22/14, beginning at 0900 hours at the College of the Siskiyous, 800 College Avenue, Building 3 Room 3 in Weed.

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Cal Recycle reports:

Air monitoring activities continue in the work area and surrounding community.

12,912.32 total tons of debris have been removed as of day 20 of operations (205.09 tons of metal delivered for recycling; 4589.60 tons of concrete delivered for recycling; and 8,117.63 tons of debris, ash and soil delivered for disposal)

The Numbers as of Day 20

- 134 Sites registered for the removal project (Right-of-Entry, includes library, community center and 2 churches).
- 10 Sites denied entry.
- 133 Sites documented.
- 134 Asbestos surveys completed.
- 65 Sites with asbestos containing material.
- 59 Sites cleared of asbestos containing material.
- 91 Debris removal completed.
- 53 Sites sampled.
- 0 Sample results approved.
- 0 Erosion control completed.
- 0 Approved by City of Weed as ready for a building permit.

Cal OES Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Recovery staff is assigned.

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

Recovery Activities

- Based on a request for additional IA information for the major disaster declaration request, IA teams conducted PDAs 09/08/14 through 09/12/14 in Napa County, the City of Vallejo, and Solano County IA PDA teams conducted additional PDAs 09/17/14 through 09/19/14 finalizing PDAs in Napa County. The Presidential Declaration request letter along with supplement information was forwarded to FEMA for consideration.
- The deadline for Cal OES to submit the Request for Public Assistance of potential applicants to be considered for reimbursement for this event is this Friday, 10/24/14. To date, fifty-seven (57) RPAs have been received [and there have been six \(6\) applications withdrawn for a total of fifty-one \(51\) RPAs. Twenty-eight \(28\)](#) Kickoff Meetings have been completed and [four \(4\)](#) additional Kickoff Meetings are scheduled.
- The Napa Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC) is in the process of forming its leadership, establishing policies and procedures, and identifying a Mission statement. A follow up meeting is pending.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. Due to the absence of local faith based and other organizations that may have resources, Solano VOAD will reach out to expand the engagement of additional nonprofit and faith based partners. Once the organizations are identified, a follow up meeting will be held in hopes of identifying key leaders interested in forming an LTR committee.
- Local Assistance Center (LAC): County and City of Napa: LAC opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). The LAC is open until further notice.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours, or as needed.
- The Coastal REOC is activated at Level 2 Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours, or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1 Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours, or as needed.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

As of 10/23/14

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
Inland Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
El Dorado	10/21/2014	CDAA and Federal relief	
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	10/20/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	10/8/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	10/1/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	10/7/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	10/22/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
Plumas	8/19/2014	Relief from water curtailments	10/23/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	5/21/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/17/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	8/26/2014
Trinity	8/5/2014	No specific request.	
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	10/14/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	9/15/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	10/13/2014
Coastal Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Humboldt	7/1/2014	No specific request	10/17/2014
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Napa	8/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Southern Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
San Bernardino	8/5/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 5/23/2014	No Specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



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CAL OES MISSIONS

New Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-7197, 10/22/14, 0928 hours.,** [Plumas County Sheriffs Office](#) has requested a mine team subject matter expert to review a plan to excavate a cistern well. It is believed, based on several Human Remains Detection K9's indications, that a missing person (MP) from 1968 is located within the well. The LDO is working to secure this resource for the optional dates of November 13, 18 or 20th. . **Mission On-going**



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.